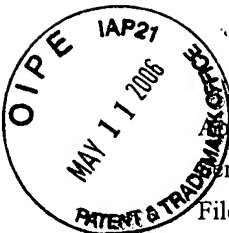


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Responsive to the non-final Office action dated February 8, 2006 in the patent application identified above, please reconsider the application in view of the appended remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.